GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:7414
ANSWERED ON:15.05.2002
EXTRADITION OF MAIN ACCUSED OF PURULIA ARMS DROPPING CASE
CHANDRA NATH SINGH;SADASHIVRAO DADOBA MANDLIK;SUKDEO PASWAN

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) Whether India has taken up the issue ofextradition of Kim Davy, the main accused of Purulia arms dropping case with the Danish Foreign Minister during his recent visit to India;

(b) If so, the details thereof; and

(c) The reaction of Denmark thereto?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI OMAR ABDULLAH)

(a) & (b) Yes, Sir. The issue of Kim Davy was raised by External Affairs Minister, Shri Jaswant Singh, during his meeting with the Danish Foreign Minister on 30 April 2002 in New Delhi.

(c) India and Denmark agreed to continue to explore ways & means to resolve the issue. Government is in continuous contact with the Government of Denmark, though our Embassy in Copenhagen.